

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of Laurence B. Boucher, et al.

Serial No:

10/724,588

Filing Date:

November 28, 2003

Examiner:

Wen Tai Lin

Atty. Docket No:

ALA-025

GAU:

2154

For:

INTELLIGENT NETWORK INTERFACE SYSTEM AND METHOD

FOR ACCELERATED PROTOCOL PROCESSING

May 23, 2005

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Petition For An Extension of Time to File a Response

## Under 37 CFR §1.36(a)

An Office Action for the above-referenced application was mailed December 23, 2004, providing a three-month period within which to file a response. An Amendment responsive to that Office Action is being submitted herewith.

Please extend the period within which to file a response by two months, from March 23, 2005 to May 23, 2005. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed, as required under 37 CFR §1.17(b) for this extension.

Respectfully submitted,

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 23, 2005.

Mark Lauer

Mark Lauer

Reg. No. 36,578

6601 Koll Center Parkway

Suite 245

Pleasanton, CA 94566

Tel:

(925) 484-9295

Fax:

(925) 484-9291

05/26/2005 CNGUYEN 00000014 10724588

01 FC:1252

450.00 OP